

2nd Pancyprian Debate Competition

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2nd Pancyprian debate Experience

Our participation in the 2nd Pancyprian debate was one of the most memorable experiences of our school life. At first, we felt overwhelmed and anxious when we heard about it, but deep down we were also thrilled and eager to prove ourselves. Our team shared an incredible bond while spending almost every spare moment preparing together. The excitement in the room was contagious every single time we met. When we first learned about the debate, a mix of nerves and pure joy rushed through us — we could not believe we were actually going to be part of something so big. We searched passionately for appropriate material, openly shared our views and poured our hearts into finding the best structure for our speeches. For three weeks we worked tirelessly, and the sense of unity and pride we felt during that time was truly overwhelming.

On the day of the debate, our hearts were racing and our hands were trembling, yet we stood tall with confidence and determination. During the debate itself, we felt alive — every word we spoke filled us with courage and excitement.

Looking back now, we remember every moment with warmth, gratitude and joy. The friendships we built, the lessons we learned and the pride we felt made this experience truly unforgettable.

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